

[Beardsley, Obadiah]

DEATHS.

In Richfield, the Hon. OBADIAH BEARDSLEY, in the 79th year of his age, after a painful and lingering illness, which he endured with Christian fortitude and resignation. Brother Beardsley died as he had lived, in the belief of the illimitable grace of God to all men; which profession he has honored by good works, having won for himself the reputation of an affectionate husband, a kind and provident father, an esteemed citizen, and a devoted Christian. He had the satisfaction of numbering among his sons, the Hon. Levi Beardsley, for many years a useful and distinguished Senator in our State Legislature, late Attorney General, and witnessed their [sic] career of fame and usefulness. His bereaved family will find in the public mind, deep sympathy for their loss.

The writer (at this request) performed the last rites to his remains, assisted by a large and deeply sympathising congregation of friends and neighbors. "The memory of the just is blessed."

Job Potter

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